

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Kambiz Shekdar et al.
Application No. : 10/589,052
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PROBES
Group Art Unit : 1654
Examiner : Amber D. Steele

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Madam:

This responds to the November 8, 2011 Final Office Action in the above-identified application. A response is due on or before February 8, 2012. Thus, this response is timely filed.

Kindly amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.